



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Article Number: 7005 3110 0000 5950 1047

Ewelina Kuklik
1903 Post Road, Ste. 205
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Re: Freedom of Information Act Request
EPA-R2-2013-000346

Dear Ms. Kuklik:

This is in response to your request to the Regional Freedom of Information Officer. You requested specific information needed for Tribal Underground Storage Tank ("UST") Facility information; Tribal Leaking Tank information and Tribal Environmental Cleanups. I am responding to your request for Region 2.

Please be advised that the U.S. EPA, Region 2 has limited UST/LUST information for facilities in Indian Country because Region 2 does not maintain an UST/LUST database for that information. While other EPA Regions may do so, that is because each Region conducts business differently and has unique policies made for addressing environmental matters with individual Indian Nation governments based upon treaties with the U.S. government, principles of Federal Indian law, and Agency policies with respect to the management of Indian lands.

Enclosed is a list of three UST facilities operating in Indian Country that were inspected in 2011 by U. S. EPA. In addition, there is only one known leaking underground storage tank ("LUST") site which is on the Onondaga Nation on NYS Route 11 in Nedrow, New York. The USTs were removed in the mid-1990s and the site is now in *monitored natural attenuation*.

Regarding your request for a listing of open dump sites, enclosed is a list provided to EPA by the Indian Health Service in September 2012. Further inquiries on illegal open dumping in Indian Country should be referred directly to the Indian Health Service.

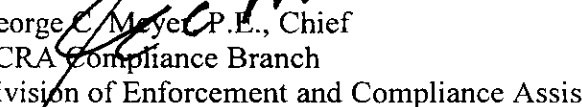
You may contact the Nations within EPA Region 2 directly to request the information you are seeking. Contact information for each of the Nations may be found on EPA's website at <http://www.epa.gov/region02/nations/index.html>.

If you consider this to be a denial, you may appeal this response to the National Freedom of Information Officer, U.S. EPA, FOIA and Privacy Branch, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

(2822T), Washington, DC 20460 (U.S. Postal Service Only), FAX: (202) 566-2147, E-mail: hq.foia@epa.gov. Only items mailed through the United States Postal Service may be delivered to 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. If you are submitting your appeal via hand delivery, courier service or overnight delivery, you must address your correspondence to 1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room 6416J, Washington, DC 20001. Your appeal must be made in writing, and it must be submitted no later than 30 calendar days from the date of this letter. The Agency will not consider appeals received after the 30 calendar day limit. The appeal letter should include the EPA number listed above. For quickest possible handling, the appeal letter and its envelope should be marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

You should refer to the EPA number above in any further correspondence concerning this matter. If you have further questions, please feel free to contact Rebecca Jamison of my staff at 212-637-3948.

Sincerely,



George C. Meyer P.E., Chief
RCRA Compliance Branch
Division of Enforcement and Compliance Assistance

Enclosures

cc: Martha Ketcher ,
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UST Facilities - Indian Country, US EPA Region 2

SITE ID	FACILITY NAME	FACILITY ADDRESS	FACILITY CITY	FACILITY STATE	FACILITY COUNTY	INSPECTION DATE	INSECTION STATUS	TANK STATUS
CAY001	Lakeside Trading #1	299 Cayuga Street	Union Springs	NY	Cayuga	June 12, 2011	Scheduled	Active
CAY002	Lakeside Trading #2	2552 NYS Route 89	Seneca Falls	NY	Seneca	June 12, 2011	Scheduled	Active
CAY003	Skydancer	126 E Bayard Street	Seneca Falls	NY	Seneca	June 12, 2011	Scheduled	Active

Note: This list is based on inspections conducted by US EPA. Other UST facilities may be registered with the respective Nations within the US EPA R2 area

OMDS OPEN DUMPS LINE LISTING - DRAFT

Item	IHS Area	Tribe	Facility Name	System Type	Status	Condition	Health Threat
1	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-ONOVILLE SOL WASTE	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
2	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-HIGHBANKS CAMP	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
3	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-HIGHBANKS TIRES	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
4	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-STEAMBURG TIRES	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	3-High
5	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-STEAMBURG OLD 17-1	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	1-Low
6	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-STEAMBURG OLD17-2	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
7	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-JIMTOWN OLD 17 PIT	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
8	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-JIMTOWN N OF OLD 17	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
9	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-KILLBUCK	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
10	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-CARROLLTON S OF RR	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
11	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-SALAMANCA MUNICIPAL DUMP	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Inactive	Open Dump - Surface	1-Low
12	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-OIL SPRINGS	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	1-Low
13	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-TIS-2 (@TREES)	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Inactive	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
14	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-TIS-2 (@CREEK)	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
15	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-INDIAN HILL @ EATON ROAD	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
16	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-BEYOND GORDON DRIVE	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	3-High
17	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-BUFFALO ROAD - WEST	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
18	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-UPPER SULFUR SPRINGS	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
19	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE - Burning Springs Open Dump	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	3-High
20	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-4 CORNERS TIRE PILE	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	1-Low
21	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-Hare Rd. Open Dump	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	1-Low
22	NS	SENECA NATION OF NEW YORK	SENE-Salamanca Calvary Cemetary Dump	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	1-Low
23	NS	ST. REGIS BAND OF MOHAWK INDIANS OF	STRE - Frog Town Open Dump	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Inactive	Open Dump - Surface	3-High
24	NS	TUSCARORA NATION OF NEW YORK	TUSC-TP Junkyard Dump Site	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Inactive	Open Dump - Buried	3-High
25	NS	TUSCARORA NATION OF NEW YORK	TUSC-Mt. Pleasant #2 Open Dump	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Inactive	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate
26	NS	TUSCARORA NATION OF NEW YORK	TUSC-Mt. Pleasant #1 Open Dump	Solid Waste Disposal Site	Active	Open Dump - Surface	2-Moderate